

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1-3 (Canceled)

4. (Previously canceled)

5-16 (Canceled)

17. (New) A packaging material consisting of three plastic layers, two outer layers and one intermediate layer;

a. the intermediate layer comprising about 0.04 to about 1 weight % carbon black, and about 3 to about 80 weight % light-reflecting mineral particles;

b. the plastic of the two outer layers being the same as the plastic of the intermediate layer; and

wherein the packaging material prevents the transmission of ultra-violet light.

18. (New) The packaging material of claim 17, wherein the plastic is a polyolefin.

19. (New) The packaging material of claim 17, wherein the plastic is a high density polyethylene or a copolymer of ethylene and propylene

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